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UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b))

Attorney Docket No.	P04919
First Inventor	Kenneth James Kotlowski
Title	SPLIT TRANSACTIONAL UNIDIRECTIONAL BUS ARCHITECTURE AND METHOD OF OPERATION
Express Mail Label No.	EL 749593881 US

APPLICATION ELEMENTS

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.

1. Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17)
(Submit an original and a duplicate for fee processing)

2. Applicant claims small entity status.
See 37 CFR 1.27.

3. Specification [Total Pages 42]
(preferred arrangement set forth below)

- Descriptive title of the invention
- Cross Reference to Related Applications
- Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D
- Reference to sequence listing, a table, or a computer program listing appendix
- Background of the Invention
- Brief Summary of the Invention
- Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
- Detailed Description
- Claim(s)
- Abstract of the Disclosure

4. Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) [Total Sheets 4]

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1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).

6. Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76

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 - ii. paper
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ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

9. Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))

10. 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement Power of Attorney (when there is an assignee)

11. English Translation Document (if applicable)

12. Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 Copies of IDS Citations

13. Preliminary Amendment

14. Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503) (Should be specifically itemized)

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103 18 203 9 Claims in excess of 20
102 80 202 40 Independent claims in excess of 3
104 270 204 135 Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
109 80 209 40 ** Reissue independent claims over original patent
110 18 210 9 ** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

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139 130 139 130	Non-English specification	
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119 310 219 155	Notice of Appeal	
120 310 220 155	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
121 270 221 135	Request for oral hearing	
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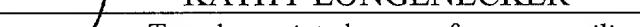
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3. Fee transmittal
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5. 4 sheets of drawings
6. Declaration of 2 inventor(s) Unsigned
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